To: 2010 Damboree Parade Entries & Spectators

From: The Boulder City Damboree Committee

Re: Water Adjustments – 2010 Damboree Parade

It is the desire of the Boulder City Damboree Committee to provide a safe and pleasurable event experience for all. It is clear that what was once held in check as "water play" in our parade has escalated to a level that is unacceptable for some of our entries and spectators.

THE FOLLOWING PARAMETERS ARE SET FORTH SO THAT ALL WHO ATTEND OUR PARADE WILL BE SAFE AND HAVE AN ENJOYABLE EXPERIENCE

#### Route

- Entries will have the option to be considered a water entry or non-water entry. Non-water entries will be placed at the beginning of the parade. Those who want to engage in water play will be placed at the end of the parade There will be a point of demarcation in the parade lineup to let people know when the water play can begin.
- ➤ Because the last leg of the parade takes entries past the pool and this is typically a heavy water play area, an alternative route to the last leg of the parade will be available to all entries who would rather bypass this area all together. This alternative route ends at exactly the same location as the regular route. (See Map Attached)
- The area on 5<sup>th</sup> Street from Aztec to Ave. B and Ave. B to 6<sup>th</sup> Street (the end of the parade) will be designated a "water zone". This is similar to Sea World's soak zone in that if you do not want to risk getting wet watching the parade, *do not sit in this area*. (See Map Attached)
- > We request water entries engage with parade spectators only after the spectator has made the first move. This is a sign that they want to engage in "water play". We do not want unsuspecting, unprepared spectators to get soaked accidentally. People want to have fun with water; however, they do not want to be wiped out or risk injury. Keep your water engagement in a playful mode.

#### **Water Play Engagement**

- No projectile objects including water balloons are to be used on the parade route.
- No continual feed water supplies are to be used including hoses.

If on any given spot on the parade route, the "water play" escalates to an unacceptable level, the parade will be stopped until the situation can be corrected.

### **MOST IMPORTANT**

> USE GOOD BOUNDARIES AND HONOR THE REQUEST OF ENTRIES IDENTIFIED AS NON-WATER ENTRIES
> PARADE ENTRIES IN THE NON WATER SECTION ARE NOT TO HAVE WATER AT ALL

Participating in water activities during the parade is not encouraged or sanctioned by the City of Boulder City or the Damboree Committee or their agents or representatives. Those who wish to participate in the water zone activities or to watch the parade from within the designated water zone must understand that by doing so they are participating in a potentially hazardous activity and are doing so at their sole peril and risk.

NOTE: IF THESE PARAMETERS OF OPERATION DO NOT CORRECT OUR SITUATION, FURTHER MEASURES WILL HAVE TO BE PUT IN PLACE.

The Damboree Committee appreciates your support in making the Damboree Parade the best community event possible. We are counting on everyone to help regulate these new parameters and to help educate the community at large as to what is acceptable behavior for our parade.

Comments or questions should be directed to the Damboree Committee @ 293-9255

# BOULDER CITY 62<sup>nd</sup> DAMBOREE PARADE SATURDAY, JULY 3, 2010 - PARADE ENTRY FORM

## **THEME: "A Blast From The Past"**

(PLEASE TYPE OR PRINT ALL INFORMATION ON THIS FORM)

ORGANIZATION OR INDIVIDUAL'S NAM	IE		
NAME OF ENTRY			
CONTACT PERSON		PHONE	
E-MAIL		PHONE	
MAILING ADDRESS			
	If necessary	your entry for use	
Non-profit organizations are exempt from fees with p  NO FEE- Entries postmarked prior to May 1 <sup>st</sup> \$25 - Entries postmarked between 5/1/10-6/15/10		<b>\$50 fee</b> – All entries (i postmarked on or after	ncluding non-profit organizations)  June 16 <sup>th</sup> are only accepted is have not been finalized.
Awards 1	st - 2ND - 3RD: Be	est Theme - Best Show - Mo lineup, please provide the followir	st Creative
		Non-Water Entry_	
Will your group be providing music			
PARTICIPATION AGREEMENT — on or about July 3, 2010, the applicant named Damboree Committee, DAMBOREE, INC. and thany and all claims or demands on account of attributable to the said parade to accompany acticandy, water (water guns), leaflets, etc. If you de	herein, on behalf of the e City of Boulder City, Neva bodily injury or physical pr vities. I understand NOTHIN	undersigned and any organization rep ada, together with all members, agents roperty damage alleged to have been NG may be thrown from a moving vehicl	resented, hereby agrees to hold Boulder Cit and employees of said entities, harmless from wholly or partially caused by, or in any wa e (Boulder City Ordinance 7-1-9). This include
ENTRY MUST BE SIGNED:	Signature		
	Name(Printe	ed)	
MAIL ENTRY/PAYMENT:  E-MAIL INQUIRIES TO:	PO BOX 6135 BOULDER CITY,	•	

Barbara Agostini (702) 293-3548

TELEPHONE:

## **BOULDER CITY 62<sup>nd</sup> DAMBOREE PARADE**

#### PARADE INFORMATION AND INSTRUCTIONS

Entries will be judged on: Best Portrayal of the Damboree, Appearance & Originality

Entry forms must be printed or typed with special attention to the entry description. This information is essential for the announcers to correctly describe your entry on the P.A. systems and television. The Parade Chairperson has final approval of your entry category.

Your line-up number will be available at <a href="www.bcnv.org">www.bcnv.org</a> July 2, 2010. You must provide your own number signs with large, legible numbers, one for each side of your entry, attached or carried, in full view for the benefit of the judges, announcers and the public. You are to indicate that your entry is a non-water or water entry. We cannot stress the importance of arriving on time! The first unit steps out promptly at 9:00 a.m. and late arrivals must fall in at the rear of the line-up. All units must maintain a forward movement, keeping about 20 feet between entries. A map of the parade route is provided for you. All entries must provide their own transportation.

This promises to be the best year yet for a great Damboree Parade! Plan to come early and stay for all of the day's events. Booths and activities will take place in Broadbent Park (formerly Central Park) located between Fifth and Sixth Streets, bordering on Avenue B. Our fireworks show will start at 9:00 p.m., Sunday, July 4, 2010, at Veterans' Memorial Park. Donations are being solicited for the fireworks show. We hope to see you there.

PLEASE KEEP THESE INSTRUCTIONS FOR YOUR INFORMATION

Damboree Contact, Barb Agostini, 702-293-3548

WHEN DISPLAYING THE AMERICAN FLAG, PLEASE USE THE GUIDELINES PROVIDED ON WEBSITE: <a href="https://www.legion.org">www.legion.org</a>

## **Rules and Regulations**

- 1. Entrants must observe all applicable rules and regulations and follow all instructions from police and or/parade officials. The Parade Committee reserves the right to remove any entrant from the parade either prior to assembly, at assembly or at any time during the parade.
- 2. The Parade Committee reserves the right to withdraw any unit of which the costume or performance does not meet these rules and regulations, or does not conform to the standards of reasonable community taste and decency.
- 3. Floats, or any other units, advocating, opposing, or depicting any social or religious issues are subject to approval by the Parade Committee.
- 4. The Parade Committee's decision regarding all entrants, their eligibility, and placement and judging is final.
- 5. Parade participants may not mingle with or accost parade spectators.
- 6. Alcoholic beverages are forbidden on any float, vehicle, or on the person of any parade participant. No profanity is allowed along the parade route or within the assembly areas.
- 7. No materials (candy, pamphlets, etc.) will be thrown along the parade route. Walkers may hand out candy in a safe manner. Distribution of literature or any other material is prohibited, except with permission of the Parade Committee. Silly String is **NOT permitted!**
- 8. Only forward movement maneuvers are permitted along the parade route. All entrants are required to open or close the gap between units when asked to do so by parade officials.
- 9. All equestrian units or other units with live animals must provide their own cleanup crew. The crews must pick up droppings in the staging area as well as on the parade route. THIS IS A MUST....IF YOU DO NOT HAVE YOUR OWN CLEANUP CREW, YOU WILL NOT BE ALLOWED ON THE PARADE ROUTE.